

UNITED STATES NAVY BAND BRASS QUARTET

The **Brass Quartet**, the Navy Band's newest chamber music group, was formed in 2000 by members of the U.S. Navy Band in Washington, D.C. This exciting ensemble has performed numerous recitals, clinics and ceremonies throughout the metropolitan Washington, D.C. area including appearances at the White House, the Vice-President's residence and the Pentagon. The quartet recently performed at Howard University and Montgomery College and is often featured as part of the band's "Music in the Schools" program, offering performances in elementary and secondary schools that are both entertaining and educational.

The quartet's extensive repertoire includes works from the 16th century Renaissance to 21st century world premiere compositions, many being written or arranged by members of the group. Directed by Chief Musician **S. Joe Dollard**, euphonium, the quartet includes Chief Musician **John P. Schroeder**, trumpet, and Musicians First Class **Stanley H. Curtis**, trumpet and **Andrew C. Oppenheim**, tuba.

Quartet members are often featured soloists on Navy Band concerts and recital programs.

